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Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

STAYED AT HOME.

A Large Number of Voters Who Failed to Vote.

AN ANALYSIS OF THE RECENT ELECTIONS.

Statistician Waite Gives Some Figures.

Washington, Nov. 15.—A society calling itself "The National Statistical Association," with headquarters in Washington, held a regular monthly meeting last night at the Columbian university. This association is composed of men habitually engaged in mental labor and who might be, perhaps, described as scholars. At their regular meetings they are in the habit of hearing papers read, discussing current matters and reviewing the affairs of nations. At the last night's meeting Mr. Frederick C. Waite, formerly a special agent of the eleventh census, delivered an address on the subject of "Election Certificates."

Mr. Waite said that the recent overwhelming defeat of the democratic party had been accomplished by 5,000,000 voters, who remained away from the polls. He detailed the forces which operate against a party when in power and contribute to its defeat. He said the results of this election furnish the same surprising features as that of 1892, when a million republican agriculturists remained away from the polls, while a million more voted the populist ticket.

"During the last twenty years," said Mr. Waite, "and also the twenty years ending with the breaking up of the whig party, the democrats carried every alternate presidential election, and yet were always defeated at the intervening presidential election. To the democrats 1876 and 1887 brought victories at the polls; 1840 and 1880 defeats; 1844 and 1884 victories; 1844 and 1888 defeats; 1852 and 1892 victories. Moreover, during both periods the democrats carried off every congressional election except the one during the Mexican war. The forces which in presidential elections bring about the defeat of the party in power are two:

"1. The feeling against the party is so strong among the members of the party out of power that the latter feels it to be a sacred duty to turn the scales out, and this year, as well as in 1890, the people took the first opportunity. On the other hand, the adherents of the party in power are being constantly disappointed. They feel that they don't receive anything like the care and recognition which was promised.

"2. There is an inherent ebb and flow of enthusiasm among the adherents of a political party. Naturally the number of years from flood tide to flood tide of enthusiasm is determined by the recurrence, once in eight years, of the cause which falls in with it and carries it to the maximum height, namely, the storm of indignation against the high handed partisan misrule of their opponents. The operation of these two companion forces is seen most clearly in the case of the three doubtful states, Connecticut, New York and Indiana, in which the general movement in favor of the party out of power has all but once during both of these periods of 20 years been strong enough to carry the election.

"Two years ago in a lecture at the John Hopkins university, having thus pointed out in detail that the election pendulum swings the mantle of supremacy from party to party with mathematical regularity whenever there is no great moral issue between the political parties, I said: 'There is nothing surprising to the statistician, in the Cleveland vote. The republican farmers have not become democrats.' Last year I said, and it is true this year as it was last, 'the democrats have not voted the republican ticket, but have merely allowed the

election to go by default.' "To show that the republican farmers did not vote for Cleveland in 1892 I analyzed the election returns town by town throughout the rural districts of New York and discovered that the rural vote for Cleveland was even less in 1892 than in 1888, in every agricultural county of the Empire state. In Ohio it was just the same. Cleveland's vote in 1892 was less than in 1888 in all the rural townships of the agricultural counties. This year the republicans have not cast as large a per cent of the full vote as in 1888 in a single state. Hence the only reasonable conclusion is that in 1892 the dissatisfied republican farmers and this year the discontented democratic laborers joined the stay at home brigade.

"The stay at home vote has increased in New York from 75,000 in 1888 to 185,000 in 1892, and 425,000 this year. In Pennsylvania it has increased from 70,000 in 1888 to 230,000 in 1892 and to 400,000 this year. It has increased in Ohio from 40,000 in 1888, to 115,000 in 1892 and to 290,000 in 1894. South Carolina, when she had 50,000 less voters than now, cast 183,021 voters for Hayes and Tilden. The total vote this year, however, was not much over 60,000, or about a fourth of the full vote.

"The immense republican pluralities this year are not the result of an extraordinary republican vote, but of an exceedingly small democratic vote. Wisconsin has not polled for the democratic candidate such a small percentage of her full vote for 25 years. In Pennsylvania the democratic party has not cast on an important election such a small vote for half a century. The astonishing features of the recent election are the same as those of 1892 when one million republican farmers stayed at home while their populist brethren cast 1,042,531 votes on the strength of visionary promises. Census and registration statistics disclose the fact that this year the stay at home voters numbered about 5,000,000. If to these we add the 1,500,000 populists, the 5,300,000 republicans and the scattering vote we have over 12,000,000 who have shown a dissatisfaction with the present administration of public affairs to be placed over against the 4,200,000 democrats who voted approval."

Owens Will Hold It.

A Washington correspondent says: Judge Denny will find when he gets into his contest with Mr. Owens that he will not have a walk over for the seat of the latter. Denny will have to show up a clear case of fraud, otherwise Owens will retain his seat. Tom Reed knows all about the recent race in the Lexington district, and so do many of the Republicans of the next House. They sympathized with Owens in his race against Brockridge, because they wanted the latter beaten. When Denny defeated Brockridge in his campaign a well known and popular Republican member of the present and next House openly expressed the hope that he would be defeated. The Courier-Journal's correspondent makes the prediction that among the few Democrats who will retain their seats on a contest, will be Mr. W. C. Owens. Of course if the Republicans needed the seat of Mr. Owens they would take it, case or no case, law or no law, but as they now have seats to sell, they will not disturb the member elect from the Lexington district.

Tammany's "Def."

[Tammany Times.] Those who imagine that Tammany is crushed are hugging a delusion. Tammany is endowed with that pluck and perseverance that characterized the ancient Romans, "that wins each godlike act and plucks success from the spear-proof crest of rugged danger." It never yet happened to any man or any organization since the beginning of the world, nor ever will, to have all things according to his desire, or to whom fortune was never opposite and adverse. In the words of a noted Scotch chief, slightly altered: "Tremble, false foes, in the midst of your glee, For you've not seen the last of my bonnets and me."

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

The Diplomatic Corps.

Mr. Editor: The recent change in the title and dignity of some of the representatives of foreign countries at the nation's capital has apparently had no appreciable effect on their style of living. Although now the diplomatic representatives of England, France and Italy are able to write the title of ambassador before their names, they seem to continue to live much as they did when they were plain ministers. Probably one explanation is that the accession of rank means no addition to their salary. That is certainly the case with the representatives abroad of this country who were not long ago elevated to the dignity of ambassadors, and in recognition of which the countries honored by the presence of such august personages raised their own representatives to the same rank. The British minister, or rather ambassador, lives in a spacious residence on the fashionable driveway of the city, which was built by British money and is the property of the British government. The British ambassador gets \$30,000 a year which, with a number of allowances, gives him a rather snug sum to enable him to keep the wolf from the door.

The French ambassador cultivates his newly acquired dignity in the pleasant and old fashioned house that has been the residence of the French legation for a number of years past. He recently married a wealthy American girl, and therefore the size of his salary does not necessarily restrict him in his style of living. The representative of Italy is the other ambassador accredited to this country. At present he has rooms at a good but not expensive hotel. A year or so ago he found the rooms in the second story of a modest private residence quite sufficient to satisfy his dignity. He was then, however, a plain minister, and had not attained the glory of a full blown ambassador. While the diplomatic colony are not characterized by the same glitter and show in private as they are when they appear on full dress occasions in public, yet some of them hold the first place in the keen competition of extravagant living. It is not always the big countries that make the largest show.

It is true that the German legation has a fine home of its own, which has been enlarged by the addition of a ball room, and is the scene of a good deal of social splendor. The Mexican minister has a fine residence and is a lavish entertainer, while the first secretary of the legation resides in one of the swell houses of the city, and keeps up an establishment that in point of lavishness is equal to anything in that line that is seen here. Recently Brazil has come to the front and now her legation is splendidly housed in a fine residence which has been specially fitted up for the purpose. The representatives from Russia have always made more or less of a splurge. For a number of years they occupied the mansion which Boss Shepherd built in his palmy days, but now they have taken possession of a fine, old fashioned roomy residence in a fashionable locality, which has been specially remodeled for their use.

Perhaps some might have the impression that the Argentine Republic is rather a second rate country, but you would not get that impression by visiting the legation here. The minister occupies a stylish house in a stylish locality, and is right in the social swim. The Chinese minister, ever since there has been a representative from the Flowery Kingdom in this country has lived in fine, not to say sumptuous style. The present minister, who is also the diplomatic representative at the court of Spain and Peru, occupies a showy residence, which singular to say just at this time, he is enlarging by the addition of a ball room, and it is understood that he proposes to give a round of social entertainments during the coming winter that will surpass anything done by his predecessor. The Japanese minister is contented with a less pretentious mode of life. He lives in a small house on a private street. The Koreans, however, follow the mode of life of the Chinese, and occupy a great big house, where they are fond of entertaining the people who come to see them. The minister has his own carriage and is one of the familiar figures about the city. Everybody stops and looks at the singular people from the hermit nation, with their funny little hats, which they wear in and out of doors. These hats resemble an inverted candelier, or perhaps a pepper box that comes to a point.

The representatives of such nations as Turkey and Spain live modestly and quietly. A similar mode of life is followed by the diplomats from Columbia and Costa Rica, while those of Chili and Peru find luxurious quarters in the leading hotels. The new republic of Hawaii makes a very creditable showing among the representatives of the older nations, and her minister has cozy rooms in a fashionable apartment house.

But wherever the representative of a foreign country makes his home, whether in a palatial mansion on a fashionable thoroughfare or in the second story front of a cheap boarding house, he lives on the soil of his own country. The laws and the authority of the United States government, great as it is, can not invade those sacred precincts. When the minister or an attaché walks abroad, he is beyond the jurisdiction of local laws. The police can not arrest him nor enter his home. Sometimes a lively attaché becomes hilarious, and while in that condition smashes windows and defies the police. The local authorities can make complaint, but can not touch him.

On the other hand, while the dignity and rights of the diplomats are carefully guarded, at the same time any violation on their part of the requirements of good taste and good behavior would result in their quietly receiving a recall from their home government. In this way the careers of many a promising young diplomat has been brought to a close. Everybody recalls the termination of the official career here of Mr. West, the representative of Great Britain, because he had imprudently written a letter in which he expressed his opinions in regard to a political campaign and the candidate, who happened to be Mr. Cleveland.



THE NEWS.

Chicago now claims a population of 2,236,000.

New York and Boston capitalists have furnished the means to start an English newspaper in the city of Mexico.

A combination is being formed with the avowed purpose of controlling the silver production of the United States.

The Fusionist candidate for Governor of Nebraska was elected, but the Republicans are going to contest the election.

British Honduras has demonetized silver and has adopted the United States gold dollar as the standard coin of the colony.

The total exports of merchandise from the United States during October was \$83,291,250, and the imports amounted to \$59,681,674.

From June 30, 1893 to June 30, 1894, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell appointed 23,160 fourth class postmasters.

The news from China: Gen. Wei has been beheaded in consequence of the Chinese army under him having suffered defeat at Ping Yang.

A number of prominent citizens of Cullinan county, Ala., are under arrest charged with a double cowardly lynching which occurred some years ago.

The Cotton Growers Convention at Montgomery, Ala., resolved to decrease the acreage of cotton, and pay more attention to raising cereals and stock.

The aristocratic Woman's Club, of Chicago, after a stormy session refused to admit to membership the noted colored lecturer, Mrs. Fannie Berrien Williams.

The very latest estimates of the political complexion of the next House from a republican standpoint is, Republicans 245; Democrats 105; Populists 6.

At Lula, Miss., four men met on the street and proceeded to settle an old feud with pistols and guns. The mayor of the town and another man were killed.

Prof. Walter Simms, grand lecturer for American Protective Association, claims that forty members of the next House are pledged to A. P. A. principles.

President Cleveland stoutly denies the story that he and Secretary Carlisle are at odds, or that anything but the most friendly feeling exists between the two. The President professes a strong attachment for the Secretary.

The United States court has ordered the sale of 77,774 acres of land in Kentucky, Virginia and Tennessee, to satisfy claims amounting to more than a million dollars against the English syndicate that boomed Middleboro.

Master Workman Sovereign urges the Knights of Labor to advocate a decrease in the regular army and the abolition of the state militia. Howard, the Vice President of the K. of L. wants all the labor organizations consolidated into one.

Perry, O. T., Nov. 15.—Oklahoma and more especially the Cherokee Strip, has been visited by a fierce and storm for a week, and today the sand is blinding. The city authorities have ordered fires in the business sections to be extinguished. Part of the time today one could not see a distance of fifty feet.

The fall of the year is a trying season for elderly people. The many cheerless, dark, dismal days set very

depressingly, not to say injuriously, on both old and young. Now is the time to reinforce the vital energies with Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the best of all blood medicines, and the safest to take.

The coroner at Washington, Ohio, has declared the sheriff and Col. A. B. Coit, the latter of the State militia murderers in the first degree. The militia was assisting the sheriff to guard the jail to protect a negro prisoner from a mob; at the command of Col. Coit the soldiers fired into the mob killing five persons.

At Elizabethtown, Ky., Blake Robertson was shot and killed by George Wilson, colored. The negro was jollying over the election, when the city marshal undertook to learn if they were shooting blank or loaded shells. Wilson shot at the officer and the shot killed Robertson.

At Nashville George K. Whitworth clerk of the chancery court, walked into the court room with a shot gun, deliberately took aim and fired a charge of buckshot into the breast of Judge Andrew Allison, and then pulled a revolver and fatally shot himself. He claimed that the Judge had mistreated him. It is said Judge Allison had caused his son to be appointed as clerk in Whitworth's place.

At Panther Run, Miss., robbers undertook to hold up a train; they signaled the engineer to stop, but when he began to slow up he discovered what was up and he then pulled the throttle wide open, and sent his train rushing through.

In Southern Italy earthquakes have done great damage. A hundred deaths are reported.

At Atchison, Kansas, fifty negroes armed themselves, defied the police, and surrounded the jail to protect a negro from an imaginary mob.

Tom Tudor, of Mt. Olivet, Ky., has just passed his eightieth birthday, and married his seventh wife.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk, or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's cough remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had had colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Moore & Orme.

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Will be paid for the finding of A. B. Perkins, or for information that will lead to the discovery of his whereabouts. He wandered away from the poor-house in Crittenden county Oct. 18 and has not since been seen. He is about eighty years old, about five feet ten inches high, has an ambling walk, gray beard; neither sees nor hears well, and is weak in mind and body.

J. A. MOORE, P. J. C. C. Marion, Ky., Nov. 13, 1894.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

(Furnished by Glover & Durrett, Louisville Tobacco Warehouse.) Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 1595 hds, with receipts for the same period 257 hds. Sales on our market since January 1 amount to 146,632 hds. Sales of the crop of 1893 on our market to this date amount to 145,278 hds. Our market this week has been somewhat stronger on all grades of old dark tobacco, from good lugs up. The sales of the week embraced 7 hds of new dark tobacco and 116 hds of new burley tobacco.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for dark tobacco, 1893 crop:

Trash,	2.00 to 3.25
Common to med. lugs,	3.00 to 3.75
Dark rich lugs, ex. qual	3.75 to 5.50
Common leaf,	4.25 to 5.50
Medium to good leaf,	5.50 to 6.50
Leaf extra length,	6.50 to 8.00
Wrappery styles,	7.50 to 10.00

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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Breckenridge is going on the stage as a lecturer.

In the Congressional primary election the total vote cast was 13,953.

Crittenden county juries seem to be getting down to work about right over in Union.

The man who now has a well that has not gone dry is as proud of it as he was of his first horn boy.

Ex-Federal soldiers of Louisville have organized to erect over their dead comrades in that city.

Flouring mills at Chicago and St. Louis have closed down to limit the production of flour and to stimulate prices.

The thing is not so bad after all. Instead of being 250,000 the Republican majority in Pennsylvania is only 241,397.

Marion is dryer now than she ever was under prohibition. If it keeps on not raining folks will have to use liquor in the kitchen.

The Prohibition vote in the First congressional district was 492. Even the Prohibs can boast that the old First did herself proud.

The returns are at last all in and the Republicans have carried every thing but the Indian Territory—the Cook crowd has that.

Fall has come on without the "rain the hail" this time, and if there has been any effort to "heat the cider" we haven't heard of it.

Forty-thousand Democrats in Missouri did not go to the polls to vote. Couldn't the fool killer have a guy time out there, this fall.

The returns from the grand jury room indicate that the boys won't give up the happy privilege of carrying pistols and shooting at each other. That is one of the few things hard times do not interfere with.

The public schools are apparently unaffected by the hard times. In Crittenden these institutions are in some condition. Our schools and churches are on the improvement, and the hangings are all over with.

At Montgomery, Ala., Thomas Portercheck, became suddenly insane, seized an ax and slaughtered his brother, sister and brother, poured coal oil over the room, set fire to it, cut down the house and the four were burned.

Re-elected Populist candidate for Kolb down in Alabama, heard declaring that he will be elected December 1, and follows to come in and Kolb is talking through his hat, but there may be fun down there.

The real absolute and last official count gives John Hendricks 3,118 majority over Keys, 11,211 over Chitwood. The vote of each candidate is Hendricks 13,912; Keys 10,794; Chitwood 2,701; Harris 444. Hendricks likes just 27 of having as many votes as all the others added together.

Crittenden county has but one vagrant, according to the grand jury, and if he follows the style of skipping out when the grand jury indicts you, the place will be vacant in a few days. No democrat need apply for that job, because we are going to have the civil service extended to that department.

On the 16th the Henderson Journal issued a handsome souvenir edition in honor of the formal opening of the city's large and fine opera house. There are no flies on Henderson and no specks on the Journal. The papers and the write-up of the natural advantages of the town are good. The handsomest thing however, about the edition is the big picture of Mr. A. D. Rogers, manager of the new way.

The explosion of coal dust in a West Virginia mine killed seven people Tuesday.

President Cleveland sprained his ankle Tuesday while taking a walk he stepped on a round rock and the injury may keep him at home ten days.

In a drunken row at Owensboro, Ky., Saturday night, John Ashby and Jack Haverin mortally wounded each other. Pistols were the weapons used.

Last week 727,000 head of cattle, sheep and hogs were received at Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago and St. Louis, the largest receipts in the history of the business.

At Denver 215 families of American Railway Union men and 400 unmarried men reported to be on the point of starvation on account of blacklisting of members of the order by railroads.

At Huntington, W. Va., two negroes opened a can of blasting powder with a pick. Their souls are at one of two places, but nobody has been able to locate any considerable portion of their bodies.

When so many other sterling Democrats went down and so many strong holds were captured by the enemy, if John Hendricks is not proud of his district, and its Democracy, he is the meanest man elected to Congress.

The "Old Roman," of Ohio, who is the great Democratic Apostle, Allen G. Thurman says: "We have been in worse places than at the present time and came out all right, and we will come out of this pinch all right, too."

The political news columns are still about as interesting to Democrats as a last year's almanac. Really if our Republican citizens had compassion they would gather up the almanacs for 1894 and send postpaid to their Democrat friends.

Fitzsimmons went in the ring with Con Rodan, a prize fighter of local fame, at Syracuse, New York, Friday. Rodan was knocked out and two days afterwards died from the effects of the blow. Fitzsimmons is charged with manslaughter.

In the Tenth Georgia Congressional District where Black, a Democrat, defeated Watson, a Populist, fraud is charged on both sides, and while Black has the certificate of election, he proposes to resign to run the race over.

Senator Brice says Vice President Stevenson is the logical candidate for Democrats in 1896. If Adlai has any ambition in that direction he had better padlock Senator Brice's mouth, and the party recently endeavored to cast him overboard by keeping away from the polls.

Last year the unlamented William Goode kept the paupers at the poor house for \$4.95 each per month. This year board will be a little higher, but the menu is not stated in either case. If the county can really feed, clothe and house a fellow for \$4.95 a month, and furnish a fire to sit by, with a little "chawin' and spittin' tobacco," thrown in, we can all save money by patronizing the poor house.

Last week the Press said that of all the crimes in the catalogue, this county drew the line on vagrancy, and straightway the grand jury went and indicted a fellow for that very crime. The previous grand jury found one bill for the same offense, and so soon as that gentleman showed that he had been holding down a job, another fellow hops up for the honor. Send him to the poor house.

Mr. Hart, who was defeated for Congress in the Ninth district, says there is a howling demand in north-eastern Kentucky for an extra session of the legislature to provide for the old viva voce way of voting. There are several gentlemen in Kentucky just now who want the old way of voting—the way the State voted, say, in 1876—about 60,000 Democratic. Yes, old things are the best, any way.

Marion's Future School Briefly Defined.

The objects of education everywhere should be alike, but the conditions are so dissimilar that schools are necessarily unlike in organization and general methods.

The aggregation of pupils in a town of Marion's population, allows a division of labor to be desired, and quite impossible in the country; the concentrated wealth gives superior advantages in the way of school houses, and all the appliances of education.

These things have long been apparent to the enterprising citizens of Marion, but until lately they have not chosen to seize the opportunities afforded them. But looking upon the spacious, inviting, elegant school building now nearing completion in her midst, one is ready to exclaim, Marion has awakened from her educational lethargy.

It is asked no doubt by many, by strangers and those not resident in Marion, upon nothing and admiring the splendid edifice, or what nature will this school be that opens upon them? Possibly this question may be prompted by idle curiosity. On the other hand it may come from one interested in education, because he is a student still, or a parent with children to educate perhaps, or mayhap, any good man whose heart throbs beat in unison with the beneficent spirit of latter day education.

To these, through the columns of the Press, courteously extended to us by the editor, we shall give answers briefly to questions previously stated.

The greatest intrinsic disadvantage of country schools is the limited number of pupils, and the consequent impossibility of a proper system of grading. Pupils of all ages and degrees of advancement come together and each grade diminishes the opportunities of the other. Primary and advanced instruction proceed together, each mutually interfering with the other; and so wide a range of employment is given to the teacher, that he can never become an adept in any department of instruction, and he can not do justice to any class. We who have taught in ungraded schools know these things to be all of truth.

Now these troubles incident to sparse pupils and consequent lack of public money to defray expenses for a sufficient number of teachers etc., has been overcome in towns where two hundred and fifty or more pupils are to be found. And in these towns and cities throughout our country you will generally find what are termed graded public schools taught by a principal teacher and an efficient corps of assistants.

They are public because every child within the school district of proper requirements has free access to them. Graded they are because every pupil entering the school naturally and easily finds his proper place, and finding it advances step by step or grade by grade, to the full development of all his powers and faculties, and to the acquisition of such knowledge as shall be of greatest worth in the discharge of life's daily duties.

How long a time shall be required by the pupil to do this depends much upon the length of the course of study used in the school, more upon the parents and teachers, and most upon the pupil himself. The course of study in some graded schools where the number of teachers are not limited embrace twelve grades, taking a period of twelve years to complete. But we shall say Marion's graded public school will have a course of study sensibly laid down and firmly adhered to, which will consist of ten grades, taking a pupil six years of age of average ability ten years to complete.

There shall be three departments in the school as there are three divisions in the course. Primary, from first to fourth grades inclusive; Grammar from fifth to eighth grades inclusive. We may say just here that these two departments will embrace the common school course; and

every pupil completing the eighth grade can obtain certificates of graduation in the public schools, provided he passes satisfactory examination.

To aid those pupils who wish to continue their studies beyond the common school branches, and to provide for a course of study for young men and young ladies over the country adjacent to Marion, that wish a higher education, and to obtain it as cheap as possible, a high school course of two grades, taking two years to complete, has been made out. This shall constitute the third or high school department.

To enforce this course of study the school will have five teachers, all of whom have been recognized as thorough, able and progressive in their work. Each shall have their grades assigned them, according to their especial adaptation.

Just here we should err greatly, if we did not call attention to that which is sure to prove a source of great strength to the school, and that is, that Miss Lina Clement, who will have the first grade, or grades in her care is taking kindergarten at Miss Brooks' famous training school at Madisonville; fitting herself to develop the minds of the little ones by that natural method founded by Froebel, which causes the whole educated world to call him blessed.

The methods to be employed by the teachers shall be as far as practicable be normal; a training for the best for the youth of this thorough practical and progressive age. And when we say normal we mean normal, because we know normalism as only those can who have drunk at its fountain head.

The order and discipline maintained in the school shall be as rational and systematic as may be found in the best graded schools over the land.

Only one thing we ask, that is the cooperation of parents and trustees, and possessing the belief we shall receive the hearty support of the pupils, we shall be thankful enough to predict that the future visitor to the school shall be presented with a sight of a system of management and work as smooth and self-regulating as may be possible anywhere.

We verily believe that we have answered in brief the question put in the beginning of this article, and in doing so have sketched in plan and purpose a modern graded Public High School; such we believe Marion needs and wants; such we shall with energetic striving, God helping us, give her.

CHARLES EVANS.

SHADY GROVE.

The little child of J. K. Beard that has been sick for several weeks, died last Sunday morning.

Messrs. George H. and Froyoso Taylor, merchants, will soon move to the Grove and Mr. George Hillyard will move to George Taylor's farm.

Mr. J. L. Carlwell will soon move to his farm.

On Wednesday, the 14th inst., Mr. Charles E. Towery, an assistant teacher in Prof. Wilcox's school, took Miss Alice Black, daughter of the late Judge N. R. Black, and lived to the snicker State and assumed the responsibilities of a partner for life. They are now comfortably ensconced at the home of the groom's father, Mr. Wat. Towery, of Caldwell county.

Rev. Richard McConnell, of the Greenville circuit, is visiting at Dr. J. D. McConnell's.

The first born of Utley Pigler's is a girl.

There is some talk of running Dave Woods for the Presidency in 1896.

The Teachers Association at this place last Saturday was fairly well attended, but of course was not so interesting on account of the absence of Prof. Wilcox, caused by the death of his son.

Somebody is mad at Grover, and somebody don't like David B. Hill, and the country went like War's ducks, but old Piney precinct stood up right well 'amid the wreck of matter and the crush of worlds."

Mr. Ellis Leeper and wife, a newly married couple, of Providence, are visiting Mr. Harvey King.

BELLS MINES.

As everything is "peace and harmony" here, and seeing nothing from these parts, thought I would send you a few ideas of our Literary Society, since all the scare of hangings is over and everybody is at peace with God and mankind. We send you a few extracts from "The Bells Mines Saturday Blade."

Guthrie Travis killed the Democratic rooster and the eagle dwell only on the summit of Crittenden's highest mountain peaks.

Mr. H. Newcomb has moved back to watermelon hall.

Dr. Deiley, J. P., is talking of going to Hot Springs for his health.

Robert Adams, dr., says corn husking is bad in Union county.

J. W. Imboden got his hand sprained by a Democratic chicken.

C. B. Hinn and E. J. Travis have returned from Morganfield.

Old Fellow's observations on kissing:

Should a young fellow attempt to kiss a girl in Marion she would start back with her arms all spread like a turkey's tail and exclaim: "Look out, sir, I'll be into you like a thousand of brick." If a daring youth should presume to kiss a girl of Flatwood she immediately would draw a kerchief to hide her blushes and say, "I don't much like it." When the young fellow kisses the Sturgis belle she follows the principles of Scripture well. She quickly turns the other cheek before he has time to speak and says, "Please Willie don't tell." When a bachelor kisses a Westou girl she exclaims: "Well, I declare if you ain't a smart youth. Does your mother know you are out?" If a young fellow should leave a Granger town girl without kissing her, she would next morning tell her nearest neighbor that Mr. S. and so is a powerful nice fellow, but he is awful green. If a Commercial girl should receive an unexpected salute she would consider it an insult, and instantly resent the indignity by kissing the fellow who did it. The word with the Green Chapel girls is, "I shall go and tell my ma."

The Bells Mine blades hold still till after it's "did," and they'll cut up and say, "Ain't you ashamed." If this does not find its way to the waste basket you will hear from us again.

C. B. Hinn, Pres't Lit. Soc.

A. A. Casper, Sec'y.

GEIS TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

That is the Extent of Louis Land's Sentence—Delaney's Wife Gives Birth to a Child.

Morganfield, Nov. 17.—The jury in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Louis Land, charged with conspiracy in the Abbie Oliver murder, returned this morning finding the defendant guilty and sentencing him to twenty-one years in the penitentiary. Land is 25 years old and is not very bright. But for his evident mental incapacity the sentence would have been heavier. The jury came from Crittenden county.

Henry Delaney's wife gave birth to a child yesterday.

Henry Delaney on Trial.

Morganfield, Ky., Nov. 20.—The trial of Henry Delaney began this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver's testimony consumed most of the day. There are thirty-five witnesses to be examined, which will consume some time. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver's testimony was the same as in the previous trials. There is a large attendance and a great deal of interest manifested.

Forest Fire in Union County.

Morganfield, Ky., Nov. 20.—For several days a threatening fire has been raging in the Spring Grove neighborhood, this county. The greatest damage was reached last night, and many of the citizens were denied any sleep by the work which was necessary to save residences and fences. A school house, and an immense lot of fence, have been destroyed.

Gov. Brown has issued his thanks, giving proclamation. He says: "Of respectfully recommend that Thursday, the 29th day of November, be set apart as a day of thanksgiving and prayer by all the citizens of our beloved Commonwealth. For God's mercies let us be thankful, and obey His law by doing charities and kindnesses to the needy and afflicted."

Maggie M., wife of A. B. Mosely, of Lyon county, Ky., died at her home in Fredonia Nov. 20, 1894.

Deceased was the daughter of Mr. P. Reaves, of Elm, Tenn. She was united in marriage to A. B. Mosely March 2, 1881. Professed faith in Christ three days before she died. She leaves father, mother and husband to mourn her loss; she asked them to prepare to meet her in Heaven and to train her six little children for God. I preached the funeral at the U. B. church, from Job 1-21.

M. J. Wells.

FOR SALE.

One 21 horse power engine and boiler, that will be good as new with a small amount of repairs, and is mounted on good wheels, and will sell it alone for \$300.

One good saw mill with belt and pulley, I will sell for 200.

One good 30 inch corn mill, 50.

One good 30 inch wheat mill, 60.

One good snail machine, 50.

One fine belt reel, 40 inch and 18 feet, 10.

One 10 foot countershaft and burleys all new, 30.

I will sell any or all on easy terms if made safe, and I will sell my farm and stock and crop if I can sell before bad weather. And I will say to those indebted to me by note or account that is due, that I must have money, so do not wait to add costs to your note or accounts. I will have to do so if not settled right away.

E. F. PORTER.

Nov. 20th, 1894.

Henry Wilson, the postmaster at Welchton, Fla., says he cured a case of diarrhea of long standing in six hours, with one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea cure; what a pleasant surprise that must have been to the sufferer. In many cases only one or two doses are required to give permanent relief. It can always be depended upon; when reduced with water it is pleasant to take. For sale by Moore & Orme.

Deeds Recorded.

Mayes & McKee to S. H. Cassidy & Co., mill and lot at Dyeusburg for \$4,700.

S. H. Cassidy & Co., to W. H. Mayes, house and lot for \$1,000.

J. H. Prewett to S. H. Cassidy & Co., lot in Dyeusburg for \$500.

G. W. Perry to W. D. Haynes house and lot for \$1,650.

A. L. Cruee to Wm. Fowler house and lot for \$1,350.

C. C. Minner to W. F. Hogard lot in Tolu for \$400.

J. H. Mayes to Jas. Huff 150 acres for \$1,600.

Elizabeth Hall to J. H. Brasher 15 acres for \$120.

J. A. Shetleworth to Field Brantly 80 for \$600.

K. D. & S. Hodge to H. C. Moore interest in house in Marion for \$500.

M. A. Butler to W. M. Wheeler interest in lot for \$50.

W. S. Graves to W. H. Mayes 854 acres for \$700.

F. M. Clement to R. W. Wilson lots at Crittenden Springs.

R. H. Butler to Please Vaughn, exchange of land.

J. G. McCain to G. W. Williamson 2 acres for \$10.

W. M. Zachary to I. S. Zachary land for \$175.

G. R. Campbell to J. A. East 102 acres for \$1,600.

N. W. Robertson to G. M. Barnes 100 acres for \$500.

Sheriff's Sale

For Taxes.

By virtue of taxes due me as ex-Sheriff, I will on Monday Dec. 10, 1894, at the court house door in Marion sell to the highest bidder the following land: 25 acres near Crittenden Springs levied upon as the property of Ames Woods, taxes for 1892.

100 acres near J. M. Bell's, levied upon as property of J. A. Hardin heirs, listed by Ben F. Rutherford, agt., taxes for 1891-92.

121 acres near J. A. Hardin, levied upon as property of Ben Rutherford, taxes for 1892.

One lot near Marion, levied upon as property of N. W. Jones, taxes for 1892.

3 acres near Tom Daily, levied upon as property of J. H. Newcomb, taxes for 1892.

Francis M. Benton, 1 lot in Dyeusburg taxes for 1891-92.

Sim Chip, col, 30 acres near J. G. Brown, taxes for the year of 1891.

Lillie Woods, col., 1 lot in Marion for the year 1891.

Manion F. Jackson 1 lot in Marion for the year 1892.

Henry Elgin col., 1 acre near Marion Thurnman for the year 1892.

W. L. Clark, col., 19 acres near Wm. Wilson, taxes for 1892.

Lewis Montgomery 50 acres near L. Owen, balance for the year 1892.

A. J. CRUEE, ex-Sheriff.

NOTICE.

Taken up as a stray on the farm of Mrs. Josephine Elder, two hogs weighing 100 pounds each. Owner may have same by paying for this notice and their trouble. Mrs. Josephine Elder.

BUILDING!

If you are thinking of building or need any material for your houses, such as:

Flooring, Ceiling, Siding,

ALL KINDS OF FINISHING LUMBER.

Shingles, Laths, Doors and Sash,

ALL KINDS OF MOULDING AND CASING.

Come and get our prices. J. N. Clark will take pleasure in making you prices cheaper than you can get anywhere.

Give us a trial. Place of business: Marion Roller Mills.

A. DEWEY & CO.

Farms For Sale.

R. C. Walker

Real Estate Agent.

Lands Sold on Commission. If no Sale is made, no charges.

If you have a farm to sell or exchange, place it in his hands

If you want to buy a farm, see him.

He has for sale the following:

No. 1.—The Horry Laine farm, near Sheridan; it contains about 225 acres of good land; 150 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation; 50 or 60 acres of first class bottom land; splendid estate residence, and good out buildings. Price low, terms easy.

No. 2.—Geo. Sisco farm, 3 miles southwest of Marion, 153 acres. A lot of fresh land; produces good corn, wheat and tobacco; fair improvements; will be sold cheap.

No. 3.—W. H. Ordway farm, near Craynoville, embracing 500 acres, of which 120 are in good state of cultivation and produces fine corn, wheat, good dwelling house, 5 tenant houses, 6 tobacco barns, and other improvements. This is a fine farm and will be sold very low.

Several lots and residences in Marion at low prices, lots of all sizes from 80 x 200 feet to 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 acres.

No. 5.—180 acres, 150 in cultivation, balance in good timber. All limestone soil. House of 6 rooms, good stock and tobacco barns, tenant house, orchard of 150 trees. Plenty water.

No. 6.—320 acres, 240 in cultivation, balance in good timber, house of 6 rooms, Two tenant houses, 14 acres of good orchards of apples, peaches, pears, plums and cherries. Good barns. Plenty water.

No. 7.—81 acres, 65 in cultivation, balance in good timber; 12 acres of good meadow. New house of two rooms. New stock barn, 3 acre orchard. Price very low for cash.

No. 8.—120 acres, 100 in cultivation. House of 5 rooms. Good barns and wheat house. 4 acres of orchard. Plenty stock water. It is a bargain.

No. 9.—183 acres limestone soil, 160 in cultivation, 90 acres in wheat, 4 acres in orchard, 2 good tobacco barns, on public road, two miles from railroad.

No. 10.—183 acres limestone soil, 150 in cultivation, 8 room dwelling, 3 tenant houses, 2 good barns.

No. 11.—100 acres, 90 in good state of cultivation, Dwelling of 4 room. Good orchard, good stables and tobacco barns.

No. 12.—25 acres near Crittenden Springs.

No. 13.—200 acres, 125 Ohio river bottom. Good residence and out-houses and fine barn.

No. 14.—103 acres, 70 acres in cultivation, balance in good timber. Four room residence, good outbuildings. 108 apple trees, 300 peach trees and 30 cherry trees, all bearing.

No. 15.—204 acres, 14 cleared. 14 miles from Ohio river.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL NEWS.

Subscriptions Received.

The following persons have our thanks for money paid on subscription and this is a receipt to each for same. If you are behind on yours, conclude to pay it, and we will appreciate it just now!

John M. Baker, Marion, Ky.
A. D. Crider, " "
J. L. Walker, " "
W. L. Hughes, " "
J. M. Loovorn, " "
R. C. Fritts, " "
A. D. Travis, " "
A. A. Dehoe, " "
Ira Wood, " "
Maria Yeakey, Beaton, Mo.
W. H. Wofford, Washington, D C
J. P. Crawford, " "
John Huleman, Rufus, Ky.
W. A. Parnley, Eacon, " "
D. A. Lowery, Cresswell, " "
F. M. Hilliard, Fredonia, " "
John Loyd, Fredonia, " "
A. L. Rice, Carrsville, " "
W. C. M. Travis, Weston, " "
R. H. Waddell, Bayou Mills, " "
G. N. McGrew, " "
J. T. Wheeler, Dyonsburg, " "
James King, Howell, " "
C. W. Baldwin, Shady Grove, " "
Ira D. Nunn, Sullivan, " "
W. W. Stewart, Smithland, " "
J. A. Guesse, Shady Grove, " "
J. A. Rodgers, Irma, " "
R. S. Threlkeld, Weston, " "
Rudman Hughes, Weston, " "
W. L. Asher, Weston, " "
W. E. Mianer, Mattoon, " "
L. H. Paris, Marion, " "
George M. Sisco, Marion, " "
T. J. Black, Sturgis, " "
B. W. Belt, Loh, " "
Robert Worley, Marion, " "
E. N. Duncan, Dyonsburg, " "
M. C. O'Hara, View, " "
R. C. Lucas, Mattoon, " "
J. M. Hardesty, Irma, " "
J. W. Jeffreys, Iron Hill, " "
Mrs. T. S. McCall, Hopkinsville, " "
Fleiden Brantly, Repton, " "
G. H. Thomas, Crayneville, " "

Dr. T. H. Cossitt, Dentist, Marion.
Fruits of all kinds at Copher's.
Sgar 20 pounds for \$1 at Copher's.
Mr. Wm. Fowler has moved to Marion.
Mrs. G. C. Gray is visiting friends in Paducah.
Circuit court begins at Smithland Monday week.
The town authorities have purchased 24 street lamps.
Born to the wife of A. M. Gilbert, Nov. 20, a fine girl.
Cloaks! For ladies, misses and children. S. L. Hodge & Co.
Coffee 4 and 5 pounds for \$1.00 at Copher's.
Hear Dr. Dixon, Dec. 6. Remember the funds go to the big town clock.
A nine months old child of Mr. Kelly Beard, of Shady Grove, died Saturday.
Mr. J. W. Blue and daughters are visiting relatives in Union county this week.
The case against Fred Lemon in the U. S. court at Paducah, charged with violating the revenue law, was dismissed.
Over \$400 has been subscribed for the big clock. About \$200 is needed. Help it along.
J. W. Wallace, of Tola, was in town Monday to make arrangements to move here.
See our line of boys knee pants for 50c., 75c. and \$1. per pair. S. D. Hodge & Co.
Uncle Ned Towery of Shady Grove was in town yesterday.
Mrs. Flora Ford leaves for her home in Minnesota today. Her sister, Miss Ruby James, will accompany her home.
J. R. McIntire's family returned from Union county Monday. They have been visiting relatives.
Don't forget S. D. Hodge & Co., when in need of overcoats, macintoshes, or suit of clothes. Their prices defy competition.
John Mabry, the magistrate elect of Dyonsburg precinct, was in town Monday. He bears the honors with becoming gravity.
Large stock of groceries of all kinds Copher.
We are giving especially low prices on all wool red blankets. We are overstocked with them. S. D. Hodge & Co.
Marriage Licenses have been issued to Jas. A. Lynn and Miss Minnie O. Mott, Jas. S. Ainsworth and Miss Lon V. Williams.
If you want a long child's cloak, go to S. D. Hodge & Co.
Frank Cavanaugh, of Hopkin county, has purchased a hundred acres of land from C. W. Baldwin, near Shady Grove, and will make his home upon it.

Mr. S. Hodge has purchased property in Princeton.
Mr. T. J. Daniel is recovering from a severe spell of sickness.
Of the seven magistrates elected four are Republicans and three Democrats.
Mrs. Ida Flannery returned last week from a visit to her father in Livingston county.
Messrs. Morgan Swope and E. C. Veldon went to Tolu Monday to hunt a day or two.
Judge T. J. Nunn was in town two days last week, attending to business in circuit court.
The secret orders in Marion—the Masonic, Knights of Pythias, and A. O. U. W.'s—are all growing.
Mr. P. E. Rowlett, of New Concord, is in town. He is the plaintiff in a civil suit in circuit court.
Mrs. M. K. Gilliam went to Mr. R. H. Wood's Saturday. She will spend the winter with her sister.
The K. P. Lodge at this place will celebrate Thanksgiving with a banquet on the evening of the 29th.
P. S. Maxwell's handsome tea room brick residence is nearing completion. It is by odds the finest in the county.
Revs. L. J. Millican and James C. Kingsolving have each been authorized by the county court to solemnize the rites of matrimony.
Get one of those Melatosh coats at E. C. Moore's. It not only keeps you warm but keeps you dry in the rainy weather. They are beauties, and cheap.
A. M. Baldwin has bought the Croft property here and will move shortly. Dolly and his wife are both well known to E'town people and will receive a warm welcome from them.—Elizabethtown, Ill., Independent.
Albert DeKeign, formerly a citizen of Marion, was elected a member of the Missouri Legislature by the democrats of Scott county at the recent election. He won in a canter, and Scott county will have a good member.
Frank Cossitt, a Marion boy, who has been in the employ of the O. V. R. R. for some months, goes from Waverly to the office at Evansville, as the assistant operator. He began as a helper in the Marion office and has rapidly pushed upwards.
"Uncle Joe," the jailer, has moved to his residence, for the purpose of having the jail residence repaired and put in order for the new man, Ayers Hard, will take charge in January. Uncle Joe will go back to the anvil, the music of which has cheered him for forty years.
Hon. John W. Blue was on the streets Saturday. He went to the barber shop for a shave, and while there greeted many of his friends, who were pleasantly surprised to meet him away from home, and looking so hale and hearty, and in such good spirits. He is now hopeful of his ultimate recovery.
John Daughtry went to Paducah Tuesday to visit his brother Dr. W. T. Daughtry, the veterinary surgeon. The latter has located at Paducah and is well pleased with his surroundings. It affords the Press pleasure to recommend Dr. Daughtry to the Paducah people. He is a thoroughly reliable man, and whatever he says or professes can be counted on as just that way.
There should be five hundred people at the opera house Thursday night December 6. Everywhere the people are carried away with Dr. Dixon's famous lecture. Then you will help the young men of the lecture club, and contribute to the big town clock, for the big town school house, in the bustling little town of Marion, in the uptown county of Crittenden, where they hang 'em if they don't behave themselves.
Dr. Dixon, the celebrated Baptist preacher of New York, will deliver his great lecture, "Fools, or the School of Experience" at the opera house, December 6, under the auspices of the Marion Lecture Club. The club has decided to turn all the proceeds, after expenses have been paid, over to the school board for the big clock fund. Turn out and hear Dr. Dixon, one of the greatest orators on the stage, and you will incidentally help the school and town.
Search has not yet revealed the whereabouts of old Mr. Perkins; even the \$50 offered by the county judge has so far failed. On next Saturday all the citizens of that section will meet at the poor house and make a close search of all the adjacent country, it being the general opinion that the old man perished away from any home of the lost man, has for two weeks made an earnest search for him, and he sincerely hopes that the people will turn out next Saturday and help in the searching of the country for miles around.
Later.—The dead body of the lost man was found this morning, in a corn field not far from the poor-house. While gathering corn, Mr. Newcomb's boy, it, and they brought the body to town.

ED. WILCOX DEAD.
A Promising Young Man And Teacher Passes Away.
Last Thursday evening at 4 o'clock Mr. E. C. Wilcox died at his home near Repton after a week's illness, of peritonitis. He moved his family from Lyon county to this county, about a year ago, and for awhile engaged in business at Repton. This fall he quit the mercantile business and went to teaching in the public schools. He was a son of the old teacher, Prof. W. E. Wilcox, so well and favorably known throughout the country. The young man was a bright and promising boy, and bid fair to be a useful citizen, and had he lived would have gone to the front as a teacher. He leaves a wife and two children.
EIGHTEEN INDICTMENTS.
The Work of the Grand Jury Complete Saturday.
Saturday afternoon, contrary to expectation, the Grand Jury completed its work and adjourned. Eighteen indictments were returned to the court and they were as follows:
Vagrancy 1.
Cutting and stabbing in sudden heat of passion, 1.
Shooting in sudden heat and passion, 1.
Malicious shooting and wounding 1.
Shooting at another, 1.
Breach of the peace, 1.
Hunting on Sunday, 1.
Adultery, 1.
Fornication, 1.
Carrying concealed weapons, 3.
Assault and battery, 3.
Disturbing worship, 1.
Disturbing a lawful assembly, 1.
Burglary, 1.
It is said that considerable time was spent in investigating the Dobson murder, but nothing came of the work. Sam Walker, a detective, had been working on the case some time, and he had the wife of Columbus Akers, who has been in Paducah some months, before the jury as a witness. Her testimony was not regarded as very strong by the jury, and no indictment could have been founded on her statements, even had the jury been satisfied that her story was correct.
Religious Revival.
Blackburn church, in this county, has had a protracted meeting, commencing on the 29th of October and continuing twelve days.
The meeting was conducted by the pastor, Elder W. H. Moore, assisted by Elder Calvin Roberts, of Princeton. These ministering brethren labored with us earnestly and faithfully presenting the claims of the Gospel of Christ and urging sinners to flee the wrath to come.
Four professed faith in Christ, and there were three additions to the church, which was greatly revived.
We have had a refreshing shower from the presence of the Lord, and now may God give us grace that we may live closer to Him than ever before.
Contract Awarded.
The Trustees of the Marion Graded School held a meeting on Monday night and met the representatives of a number of School Desk Companies, and after a careful examination of the various samples on exhibition, awarded the contract to the Columbia Automatic School Desk, manufactured by the Piqua School Furniture Co., of Piqua, Ohio, and represented by John M. Slavens, of Louisville, Ky. Although higher in price than others, it was considered the cheapest and best bid.
Will Browning has the agency for the Hopkinsville steam laundry—one of the best in the country. He solicits your patronage. Leave word at S. D. Hodge & Co's store, and he will send for your soiled linens and return them to your home after they have been to the laundry. Prices reasonable.
Some weeks ago Dr. R. L. Moore sent in his resignation as a member of the medical board of pension examiners. Dr. J. W. Crawford, the well known physician of this place, has been appointed to the vacancy.
When in Shady Grove call and see my stock of Furniture, and when you need anything in this line do not forget that I have it at the bottom price. W. H. Towery.
Cran-berries, turkeys dressed and addressed at Copher's for Thanksgiving put in your order early and get choice.
Attorneys W. I. Cruce and J. W. Blue, Esq., were in Paducah Monday. They had business in the United States court.
I have a nice stock of furniture. Call and see it. W. H. Towery, Shady Grove.
We are giving the lowest price on clothing, in order to run our stock out by January 1, 1895. S. D. Hodge & Co.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Lynch Gets Eighteen Months in the Pen for Burglary.
Other Cases Disposed Of.
Commonwealth vs. Melvin Roberts, malicious striking; dismissed upon written reasons filed.
Commonwealth vs. John Tom Lynch, burglary; jury returned a verdict of guilty and fixed punishment at 18 months in penitentiary.
Same vs. Hayes Johnson, concealed weapons; dismissed.
Same vs. M. V. Ford, concealed weapons; dismissed.
Same vs. Joe Hollowell, breach of peace; fined \$25.00 and five days in jail.
Same vs. Lawson McKerley, concealed weapons; fined \$25 and ten days in jail.
Same vs. Horace Sage, concealed weapons; fined \$25 and ten days in jail.
Same vs. Walker Armstrong, concealed weapons; fined \$25 and ten days in jail.
Same vs. M. Schwab, selling cigarette material; fined \$5.
Same vs. John Cruce, breach of the peace; dismissed.
Same vs. Dinks Dodds, shooting at without wounding; dismissed.
Same vs. Willie Todd, same offense; dismissed.
McCullums vs. McCullums; judgment for plaintiff.
J. O. Paris vs. Julia Paris; divorce granted when cost is paid.
Harvey Hughes vs. Roxie Hughes; divorce granted when cost is paid.
Ira Walker vs. T. J. Graves; judgment for plaintiff.
Graves vs. Humphreys; judgment for plaintiff.
Schwab vs. Eaton; dismissed settled.
Mackey, Nesbit & Co. vs. Ballard; judgment for plaintiff.
Shellebarger vs. Johnson; dismissed settled.
Ella George vs. T. M. George; dismissed without prejudice.
McCoy vs. Crider; dismissed, injunction dissolved; judgment against plaintiff for cost.
The damage suit of Simpkins vs. Kirk was compromised by the defendant paying fifty dollars and cost of suit. This suit was for ten thousand dollars damages, growing out of alleged seduction.
A. F. Griffith vs. Marion Clark; judgment for plaintiff for \$70.14.
Henry Stoltz vs. M. T. Dyer; judgment for plaintiff for \$57.76.
J. N. Woods vs. J. P. Woodall; judgment for plaintiff for \$63.96.
J. C. Munier vs. W. A. Jacobs; judgment for plaintiff on guardian's bond for \$169.75.
L. H. James vs. J. L. McConnell; judgment for plaintiff for \$100.
Commonwealth vs. Marion Clark; violating Sabbath; acquitted in one case, two cases continued.
Commonwealth vs. Will Cruce, burglary; acquitted on account of unsoundness of defendant's mind.
Commonwealth vs. Hugh Norris, shooting in sudden heat and passion, fined \$50.
Commonwealth vs. W. E. Fritts; entered plea of guilty to shooting in sudden heat and passion; fined \$50.
Commonwealth vs. R. C. Carrick, assault and battery; fined fifteen dollars.
NOTES.
Thomas M. Chandler, an old citizen of the county, was before the court Monday to have the condition of his mind passed upon. The jury said he was insane and Tom goes to Hopkinsville.
Seven pauper idiots have applied to the court for assistance under the pauper idiot law, each gets \$37.50.
Sheriff Faddy will take Jim Tom Lynch to Eddyville in a few days. The pen will not frighten Jim Tom, he has been there before. He just finished a similar engagement in Tennessee.
The big damage suit of Shellebarger against Johnson was compromised. The agreement shows that each side is to pay its cost. The sum sued for was \$5,000.
The murder of poor Henry Dobson still goes scot free. He'll be caught by and by.
John Howerton has a good deal of business in court, first and last, and he concluded to practice on himself. His case was called, the Commonwealth announced ready, but John's witnesses were not present and he wanted a continuance. When the court told him that he must file an affidavit, giving his reasons for wanting the case continued, John was unhappy. He could state in words his situation all right, but when it came to putting the matter in the form of an affidavit John felt the gravity of the situation, and like Isaac of old,

he went out to meditate. Like everybody who gets in trouble and wants advice without engaging a lawyer, John put his case before Dave Woods and within a few minutes he was back in the court room, with broad smiles chasing the glow from his face, and the affidavit firmly grasped in his hand. Dave had won the day for him.
Joe Hollowell undertook to practice law. He had two cases; both were against Joe Hollowell, and of course Joe was for the defense. The first case was not a very bad one and Joe "come clear." When the next case came up Joe, nervous by experience and flushed with success, took his seat at the lawyers' desk and pleaded "not guilty" to a charge of breach of the peace. With a good deal of confidence Joe was happy until the jury brought in a verdict of \$25 and five days in jail; then his feathers fell and his career as a lawyer was ended.
John Cruce, a twelve year old negro boy, was indicted for a breach of the peace. It was not much of a case, and Judge Pratt called him and gave him a splendid lecture, and the boy went away a better fellow than if he had been fined and sent to jail.
No court has a finer clerk than Mr. H. A. Haynes. He is not only competent in every particular, but courteous and obliging to all. It should be agreed all around to install him along with Dave Woods.
The fines assessed for the Commonwealth at this term amount to only \$240.
One of the best speeches made before a jury at this term was that of Mr. O. M. James in defense of Will Cruce, a negro boy charged with burglary. He had no money to employ counsel, and the court appointed attorneys C. S. Nunn and O. M. James to defend him. They made a strong defense, and Mr. James' speech commanded the closest attention of the jury and spectators; replete with argument, full of pathos at times, eloquent throughout, and forceful from the beginning. It is needless to say that the jury acquitted the defendant.
The boys' net is good one on Geo. Thomas and Joel Taber. They were summoned to report at Morganfield, for jury service Monday; and concluding there was more profit in walking over than paying car fare in these perilous times, they started over about Sunday. All went well until night, they knocked at a modest residence near Sturgis, in Union county, where the railroad tax collector is wont to prowl. Our travelers wanted water and wanted to warm. A man appeared with a Winchester and escorted them to the gate. The boys were not used to military tactics and in their haste to depart in peace faced about the wrong way; they walked all night, and when the sun came up and flooded the country with its golden-rays our countrymen beheld the hills of Webster county many miles from Morganfield. Footsore, weary, hungry and sleepy, they faced about and by dint of hard, hard marching reached Morganfield in time for Judge Given's purposes. They feel that they earned both the plaudits of the court and the money of the Commonwealth, and are sure they know a thing or two about railroad tax in Union county.

Announcement.
Owing to some matters that have transpired recently, I have concluded not to be the next Jailer of Crittenden county, but I am in the old business again, and have a big stock of fancy groceries—the best and freshest candies, all kinds of fruits, fresh oysters, etc., etc. Hot and cold lunches served at all hours. I will sell them to you mighty cheap. Come and see. First door south Marion Hotel.
B. F. McMeican.
Notice.
All persons having claims against the estate of Peter McDowell, deceased, must present the same properly proven on or before Jan. 1, 1895. B. W. Belt, Admr.
This Nov. 20, 1894.
When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Girl, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Thanks-Giving.
The President having designated the 29th Nov. 29, and the governor having issued his proclamation, we have prepared for the occasion and will furnish with the best

Fresh Oysters.
Fresh Fish,
Turkeys,
Quail,
Mince Meat,
Cranberries,
Jellies,
Pickles, all kinds,
Currants,
Raisins,
Citron,
Maccaroni,
Figs,
Oranges,
Apples,
Pies, cakes, etc.

We promise entire satisfaction. Call early and leave your order with us. We will deliver goods.

YOURS TRULY.
Thomas Bros.

I am not NOT Selling at Cost
But in order to induce the people of this and adjoining counties to come to Marion to buy all your

Staple Groceries,
Queensware
Saddlery

Hardware,
Wagons
Stoves

you need between now and the first of the year I will give you some prices to show the hard times. I have at least

A Twelve Thousand Dollar Stock
on hand that I must close out to make a change by the first of the year. All that I ask is for you to note my prices and come and see my goods, and then buy where you please.

LOOK AT THESE PRICES

Granulated Sugar 20lbs for \$1.00	Best home made sorghum, in any quantity 25cts per gallon.
Light C Sugar 21lbs for \$1.00	Best straight grade flour, per barrel \$2.75
Best Grade Coffee 4 1/2 lbs for \$1.00	No. 1. Good parched coffee 4 lbs for 1.00
Medium Coffee 5lbs for 1.00	Arbuckles Coffee 2 packages for 45c
Soda 6lbs for 25cts	Knives & Forks, per set, 45c and up
Water buckets 10cts	Tea spoons, per set 5c and up
Ten 20cts per lb.	Table spoons per set 10c and up
Washboards 15cts	
Good broom 15cts	
Bacon 10cts	
Lard 10cts	

Just Received Car Load

WIRE
Smothe and galvanized wire at greatly reduced prices—a car load on hand.

SADDLES
Men and boys saddles from \$2, up.

HARNESS
Wagon and plow gear and all other harness and collars at extra reduced price, being overstocked.

NAILS
I certainly beat anybody that has ever sold them in the county.

DOOR LOCKS
In Door Locks and Hinges I will Irish potatoes.

STOVES
Have a large lot of cooking and heating stoves on hand that I will sell regardless of price as I am compelled to have room.

WAGON
Only have one spring wagon and one buggy left that I will gladly sell at cost. I can't carry it over.

Sorghum
I want 500 barrels of good home made sorghum that I will pay you full market price, half in cash and half in trade. I want 100 bushels of Irish potatoes.

CHRISTMAS
For your Christmas Holiday I will ask you kindly to come and see our goods before buying. Have a full good selection and I will guarantee you not less than 25% off.

Queensware
Cups and saucers, Glasses, 4 piece glass set, Glass pitcher, Plates per set, Butter dishes, with cover, each 5cts, Lamps complete 5 to 10cts. Dishes. Any new housekeepers will find it to their interest to come and see our glassware, queensware and stoves.

M. SCHWAB.

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FARM FOR SALE.

I have a farm of 125 acres, lying
on Flatlick creek, Crittenden county,
Ky., that I want to sell. It is well
improved and has plenty of last-
water on it. Terms easy. Come and
see me.

2m **W. C. WATSON.**